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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

FOX et al.

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For: NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING  
EPH-LIKE RECEPTOR TYROSINE  
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Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks  
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Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time to reply to the Office  
Action of September 25, 2001. A fee of \$110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge  
any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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